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je2-td H. F. HEISTERMAN, Sec.

VICTORIA PUBLIC SCHOOLS.

A PUBLIC MEETING OF THE REGistered Householders and Freeholders will be held at the City Hall on Monday, the 10th instant, at 11 a. m., for the purpose of receiving the report of the Trustees.

The annual election of a Trustee for each Ward will be held on Monday, the 17th instant, as follows:—

For James Bay Ward, at the Hook and Ladder House, Government street.
For Yates Street Ward, at Burnes' Building, Bastion Square.
For Johnson Street Ward, at the City Hall.

In case a poll is demanded, voting will commence at 10 a. m. on the following day, and close at 4 p. m.

R. WOLFENDEN,
Secretary School Board.

Victoria, 3rd June, 1889.

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PUBLIC APOLOGY

SHAWNIGAN, 1st June, 1889.

To DONALD MCPHERSON, Esq., Cobble Hill.

SIR:—I, the undersigned George Woodruff, do hereby humbly beg to express to Mr. Donald McPherson my sincere and hearty regrets for the lying and malicious slanders that I have been the author of concerning him; and I desire to return him my most sincere thanks that, in consideration of my signing this apology, he has very kindly consented to forego any legal proceedings against me.

(Signed,) GEORGE WOODRUFF.
Witnesses:
JOHN GREIG, JUN.
H. PORTER. je4-1t-dw

MILK! MILK!

GEO. MCRAE, LATE OF LAKE UNION Dairy, Seattle, has purchased the Victoria Dairy from H. Chaffey, and is prepared to serve customers morning and evening with pure milk, in all parts of the city. je1-1mo

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MRS. O'BRIAN.
Victoria, May 14, 1889. my15

MUNICIPAL.

NOTICE is hereby given that all persons (excepting those who pay annually or semi-annually) who are three months in arrears for water on the 30th June proximo, will have their water supply turned off.

By order,
WELLINGTON J. DOWLER,
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City Clerk's Office,
May 30th, 1889. my31

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AUCTION SALE
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W. R. CLARKE, AUCTIONEER.

I am instructed by Lloyd's Agent, R. FINLAYSON, Esq., to sell by Public Auction, FOR WHOM IT MAY CONCERN, On Messrs. Turner, Beeton & Co's Wharf, AT ELEVEN O'CLOCK,

On Saturday Next, the 8th inst.,
380 BOXES OF TIN PLATE,

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6337	6997
6968	7071
7094	9669
7088	9376
6094	7084
6946	5263
6377	6096
5555	6942
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"THE PACIFIC BULLION MINING COMPANY" FOREIGN.

REGISTERED THE 13TH DAY OF March, 1889. Certificate of Registration—This is to certify that I have this day registered "The Pacific Bullion Mining Company," foreign, under the "Companies Act."

The object for which the said Company is formed is for the purpose of mining, milling, smelting and working ores and minerals contained in the mines known as the Spokane and Trinket, situated in the West Kootenai Mining District, formerly known as the Warm Spring Mining District near Kootenai Lake, British Columbia, and such other mines as the Company may hereafter acquire.

The amount of capital stock of the said Company is one million dollars, divided into one million shares of the par value of one dollar each, and said stock to be unassessable.

The time of the existence of the said Company is fifty years.

The place of business of the said Company is located at Nelson Warm Springs, Lower Kootenai Mining District, British Columbia.

In testimony whereof I have hereto set my hand, and affixed my seal of office, this 13th day of March, 1889, at the City of Victoria, Province of British Columbia.

CHAS. JAS. LEGGATT,
Registrar of Joint Stock Companies.
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THE VALLEY OF DEATH

The Disaster Which Overwhelmed Johnstown.

A Rich and Populous Region Turned Into a Sea of Desolation.

The Number of Dead Now Estimated at 10,000—Heartrending Scenes—Urgent Need of Help.

JOHNSTOWN, June 4.—A sad and gloomy sky, almost as sad and gloomy as the faces under it, shrouded Johnstown to-day. Rain fell all day and added to the miseries of the wretched people. The great plain where the best part of Johnstown used to stand is half covered with water. The few sidewalks that escaped the flood were a few inches thick with black, sticky mud, through which tramped a steady procession of people. Many women are left utterly destitute. The tents where people are housed who cannot find other shelter were cold and cheerless. The town seemed like a great tomb. The people of Johnstown have supped so full of horrors that they go about in a sort of daze, and only half realize their griefs.

GROUND TO A PULP.

One thing that makes the searching for the bodies very slow is the strange way that great masses of objects were rolled into intricate masses of rubbish. As the flood came down the valley of the South Fork it obliterated the suburb of Woodville, where not a house was left nor a trace of one. The material they had contained rolled on down the valley, over and over, grinding it up to a pulp and finally leaving it against an unusually firm foundation or on an eddy. These masses contain human bodies, but it is slow work to pick them to pieces. Inside one of them to-day I saw remnants of a carriage, the body of a harnessed horse, a baby-cradle and doll, a rocking-horse, a tress of a woman's hair, and a piece of beefsteak still hanging to a hook.

MIRACULOUS INCIDENT.

A miracle, as it is called, that happened in the Church of the Immaculate Conception has caused a tremendous sensation. A large number of persons will testify as to the nature of the event, and the circumstances are really remarkable. Devotions were in progress Friday when the water descended on Cambria City. The church was filled with people at the time, but when the noise of the flood was heard the congregation hastened to get out of the way. They succeeded as far as escaping from the water is concerned, and in a few minutes the church was partly submerged, the water reaching fifteen feet up the sides and swirling around the corners furiously. The building was badly wrecked. The benches were torn out, and in general the entire structure, both inside and outside, was fairly dismanteled. Yesterday morning, when an entrance was forced, the ruin appeared to be complete. One object alone had escaped the water's wrath. The statue of the Blessed Virgin, that had been decorated and adored because of the May devotions, was as unsullied as the day it was made. The flowers woven in laces were undisturbed and unsullied. Marks on the wall showed that the surface of the water had risen to a height of fifteen feet, while the statue had been free from all contact with the liquid. Everyone that has seen the statue and its surroundings is firmly convinced that the incident was a miraculous one, and even to the most skeptical the affair savors of the supernatural.

There are about thirty Catholic priests and nuns here, who are devoting themselves to the care of the sick and wounded. Bishop Phelan has organized a Catholic hospital for this neighborhood, and all are devoting themselves to hard work assiduously. What these people would have done without the sisters is a difficult question.

A HERALD OF DOOM.

A nameless Paul Revere lies somewhere among the nameless dead. Who he is may never be known, but his ride will be famous in history. Mounted on a grand, big bay horse, he came riding down the pike which passes through Conemaugh to Johnstown like some angel of wrath of old, shouting his portentous warning: "Run for your lives to the hills! Run to the hills!" The people crowded out of their houses along the thickly settled street, awe-stricken and wondering. Nobody knew the man, and some thought he was a maniac and laughed. On at a deadly pace rode the man, still ringing out his awful cry.

In a few moments, however, there came a cloud of rain down the broad streets and down the narrow alleys, grinding, twisting, hurling, overturning, crashing, annihilating weak and strong alike. It was the charge of the flood, wearing its coronet of rain and devastation, which grew at the first instant of its progress forty feet high, some say; thirty, according to others, was this sea, and it traveled with a swiftness like that which lay hidden in the heels of Mercury.

On and on raced the rider, and on and on raced the wave. Dozens of people took heed of the warning and ran up the hill. Poor, faithful rider! It was an unequal contest. Just as he turned to cross the railroad bridge the wave struck him, and horse, rider and bridge went into chaos.

HOW THE LAKE BURST.

Four gentlemen, relatives of the South Fork Fishing Club, who had gone to meet friends at the lake, have just returned. They report no one at the lake except the custodian and some workmen. The dam broke in the center at 3 o'clock Friday afternoon. At 4 the lake was dry. That great body of water passed out in an hour. An effort was made to avert the disaster by digging a sluiceway on one side to ease the pressure on the dam, but of no avail. The water passed over the dam about a foot above its top, beginning at half-past 2. A cloud-burst took place during the night. There was but little rain up to dark, and in the morning when the workmen woke the lake was full and kept on rising rapidly until at 2 o'clock it began pouring over the dam and undermining it. The men sent three or four times during the day to warn the people below. When the crash came it was a sound like a tremendous peal of thunder. Trees, rocks and earth shot into midair in great columns. Then the wave started down the ravine. The whole South Fork was swept bare of trees standing.

A SEA OF MUD.

Where Woodvale once stood there is now a sea of mud, broken but rarely by a pile of wreckage. The Associated Press correspondent waded through the mud and water up the valley to-day over the site of the former village. As has been often stated, nothing is standing but the old woollen mills. The place is swept bare of all other buildings but the ruins of the Gautier wire mill. The boilers of these great works were carried 1,000 yards from their foundation. Pieces of the engines, rolls and other machinery were swept far away from where they once stood. The wreck of a hose carriage sticking up out of the mud belonged to the crack company of Johnstown. The house is swept away and the cellar is filled with mud, so that the site is obliterated.

A German watchman was on guard at the mill when the waters came. He ran for the hillside and succeeded in reaching it. He tells a graphic story of the appearance of the water as it swept down the valley. He declared the first wave was as high as the third story of a house. The place is deserted, and no effort is being made to clear off the streets. The mire has formed a grave for many people. The victims' arms and legs are protruding from the mud, and it makes a sickening picture.

THE STENCH OF DECAYING HUMAN FLESH.

The morning opened dark and dreary. Great drops of rain fell occasionally, and another storm seemed imminent. Everyone feels thankful, though, that the weather still remains cool, and that the gradual putrefaction of the hundreds of bodies that still line the streams and are lodged under miles of driftwood and debris is not hastened. This morning the peculiar stench of decaying human flesh was plainly perceptible to the senses as one stands on the bank for half a mile along the smoldering ruins of the wreck, and the most skeptical can not conceive the worst and realize that perhaps thousands of bodies lie charred and blackened beneath this great funeral pyre. The searchers wander wearily over the smoking mass, and as occasionally a sudden shout comes over the water, the patient watchers on the hill realize that another ghastly discovery has been added to the long list of revelations that chill every heart and draw tears to the eyes of the pessimist.

A SCARCITY OF COFFINS.

The sight this afternoon was a sight to behold, and words cannot be found to express the full extent of the scenes presented. In fact, when one looks at the sight he is nonplussed and hardly knows what to think. No one can realize the terrible disaster he sees before him. All the bodies which are burned to such an extent that they cannot be recognized, are placed in coffins and buried immediately. Bodies were being taken from the ruins at the rate of one every five minutes and there are at present about fifty bodies lying on the bank. The supply of coffins on the west side of the bridge has run out and corpses have to be laid on the ground. An extra supply of coffins is expected from Pittsburg, and if they do not come soon the work of rescuing the bodies from the burning ruins will have to be stopped, as the stench arising from the place is terrible.

BURYING THE DEAD.

This was the day set by the Citizens' Committee for the burying of all unidentified dead that have been lying in the morgues since Sunday. At 10 o'clock this morning the men who were in charge of the burying started to work and have been busy all day. There are no pathetic scenes at those burials. The men who have been hired to do this work seem to do it just as a matter of business. The bodies are being interred in cemeteries nearest the places where they were found. About noon

A PROCESSION OF FIFTY COFFINS

Was seen going up the hill above the railroad. There was not a mourner present, and the sight was a ghastly one to behold. It will take several days to bury the bodies in the different graveyards, as there were few graves dug until this morning and no implements to dig them with. A large detachment of men arrived from Pittsburg to-day, and they were immediately put to work digging graves.

COUNTING THE SURVIVORS.

JOHNSTOWN, Pa., June 4.—Up to noon to-day, 9,000 persons out of 34,000 recorded their names at the 25 registry offices opened this morning for the living.

SENSATIONAL STORIES.

PITTSBURG, June 4.—Three hundred more bodies were found this afternoon opposite Nineveh. This makes seven hundred bodies found at that place. Adjutant-General Hastings to-day stated he wished to deny the stories published in certain newspapers to the effect that there had been wholesale lynching and rioting near Johnstown since Saturday. Says he, "These reports are utterly devoid of truth and will injure the papers that publish them. Everyone knows there is no truth in these statements, but the people away from there have no means of obtaining information only through the newspapers. I think there is enough truth to tell without publishing false and sensational stories."

THE JOHNSTOWN RELIEF FUND.

BOSTON, June 4.—The Senate has passed a bill appropriating $30,000 to the Pennsylvania sufferers.

NEW YORK'S LIBERALITY.

NEW YORK, June 4.—Up to noon to-day subscriptions to the relief fund for the sufferers by the floods amounts to nearly $4,150,000 in this city alone.

ANOTHER TOWN SUBMERGED.

PITTSBURG, May 4.—Lewiston Junction, Pa., has just been heard from. The town has been submerged, and the highways covered with debris, ten feet high. Many of the population have been fed and sheltered in the court house. No lives lost.

WIPED OUT OF EXISTENCE.

ELMIRA, N. Y., June 4.—A gentleman from the Williamsport district reports that Lockhaver, Pa., is wholly under water, and that the place has been wiped out of existence.

THE FLOODS AT WILLIAMSPORT.

HARRISBURG, June 4.—Mayor Foreman of Williamsport telegraphs Governor Beaver "The situation is this: The boom has been cleared of logs from the principal yards along the river front, and manufactured lumber has been swept away. The houses of the poor people nearest the river have been carried away with all they possess. Thousands of people are homeless and without anything but their clothes upon their backs. Provisions are scarce and are needed quickly. Many of our people are in absolute want for the necessaries of life. We badly need disinfectants. Dead animals and all kinds of filth are strewn upon the streets, and grave fears of an epidemic are entertained. The stocks of goods of the stores in the centre of the city are ruined. It is impossible to estimate the loss and damage to property; $5,000,000 is a low estimate on lumber alone. The other losses are larger. The surrounding country has suffered just as badly. Booms, bridges and villages have been swept away, and the loss of life has been considerable. Responsible relief parties are now organized in each ward of the city, and aid is administered as fast as we get it. Please God, we are not dismayed, and rely on His guidance and the generosity of our own state and country to aid us in this the hour of our dire necessity.

PRESIDENT HARRISON'S ADVICE.

WASHINGTON, June 4.—President Harrison presided at a meeting this afternoon held for the relief of the Johnstown sufferers. The President delivered a most eloquent address. On taking the chair he suggested that the people go and ring their church bells to gather thoughtless people and remind them of the necessity to respond to the appeals of sufferers in the flooded districts. The meeting was an enthusiastic one and $10,000 were contributed on the spot. An immense quantity of food and clothing has been donated by merchants and citizens.

MASONIC DONATION.

NEW YORK, June 4.—The State grand lodge of Masons to-day gave $2,000 to the relief fund.

MADNESS AND STARVATION.

JOHNSTOWN, Penn., June 4.—The resident portion of Woodvale Borough is completely wiped out. Property loss is estimated at $3,500,000. On the hills above the wrecked village is presented the worst spectacle of the hour. Here are clustered the several thousand inhabitants who escaped, and unless aid is given them soon they must perish of want. Starvation stares them in the face. They are so far above Johnstown that relief parties have not yet reached them, and only a few provisions have been brought up to them by other survivors in Johnstown. Several have lost their mind, and it is feared that the horrors of death by starvation or the worst horrors of madness must soon overtake them unless relieved. A large number of lives are lost.

SICKNESS IN THE CITY.

JOHNSTOWN, Pa., June 4.—Dr. Lowman, of Johnstown, is in charge of the medical relief corps. He is assisted by over 300 physicians. Dr. Lowman said to-day: "The first day or two very few injured people were seen. They are coming in now by scores. Sickness is getting alarming and we see our duties multiplying hourly. Nervous prostrations, pneumonia and fevers will be and are most frequent ailments, and pneumonia is sure to be very prevalent because of the exposure in the water and the dampness. There are over 2,000 sick in the general hospitals here and in the Borough already there will be three times as many. We must arrange to disinfect the city immediately. Two carloads of disinfectants have already been received, but a train load will be required." The list of the recovered dead kept up its appalling growth to-day, but the list of those recognized is not so large as yesterday, owing to the fact that many of the bodies recovered are burnt beyond recognition or decomposed. The ascertained list of 2,300 bodies yesterday was augmented by 138 more in Johnstown, Cambria and Kernsville; a large number at Woodvale, and it is said 32 at Nineveh and vicinity. The undertakers are becoming fagged out, they having worked day and night for seventy-two hours.

THE NUMBER OF DEATHS ESTIMATED.

JOHNSTOWN, June 4.—Superintendent Morgan, of the Cambria Iron Company, who is regarded as an exceptionally level-headed man, returned to-day from a tour of the entire flooded district. He declared that only about 15,000 persons are now alive where 29,500 lived and had their being before the flood, and Adjutant-General Hastings maintains that the death list may not exceed 8,000, and of this number he thinks 3,000 bodies will never be recovered. Mr. McConough, the Chief of the Bureau of Registration, said to-day that he is convinced that the number who perished will be found to be fully 10,000 or more.

FOOD FOR THE HUNGRY.

LOS ANGELES, June 4.—A carload of California products will probably leave here in a few days for the Pennsylvania flood sufferers.

BURNING THE DEBRIS.

JOHNSTOWN, June 4.—It has been decided to burn the debris and to clear the town of all rubbish as fast as flames can do the work. Great fires are burning to-night and the wreckage is fast being disposed of.

The reservoir whose bursting caused the Johnstown disaster was a typical one. It was originally used as a canal feeder, but its use for this purpose had long since been discontinued and it had passed into the possession of an association of sportsmen. A single dam of earthwork and masonry held back a body of water which covered many square miles. It was perfectly understood that, if the dam should break, this vast body of water would sweep down the valley of the Conemaugh, carrying destruction to a dozen towns and villages. That wall stood between a rich and populous valley and destruction. More than this, it was known that the dam was in an unsafe condition. Over and over again it had been reported that it was about to burst, and the people of the valley had become so accustomed to such reports that they no longer heeded them.

THE SEALING QUESTION.

Negotiations for a Settlement of the Difficulty.

Both Governments Anxious to Reach Some Arrangement Before July, or Trouble May Arise.

LONDON, June 4.—It is stated in diplomatic circles that the foreign office is exchanging notes at a rapid rate with the American minister here on the subject of the Behring's Sea sealers, and that the question of rights of Canadian sealers in the waters adjacent to Alaska is causing considerable diplomatic activity. Both governments are anxious to reach some settlement of the vexed question before the first of July, as otherwise, it is certain that further complications of an unpleasant nature would arise. If the sealers which usually sail for the north in July are permitted to leave without definite understanding of their rights, and the American war-ships which have been ordered to Alaskan waters, sail with no modification of instructions so far given them, it is feared that trouble must result.

CONDENSED DESPATCHES.

Thirty million Chinese lottery tickets, valued at $2,000, have been seized at San Francisco by the police.

John Ogilvie, a Montreal merchant, has assigned at the demand of Henry Morgan & Co.; liabilities, about $25,000.

The first through St. Paul and Minneapolis express arrived at Sault Ste. Marie at 9:45 a. m. yesterday, sharp on time. The train was met at the station by a large crowd and enthusiastically welcomed.

A child born at Dartmouth, N. S., a few days ago, presents a strange appearance. Its right arm and part of the side of its body, including half its face, are black, while the rest of the flesh is clear and white.

Heavy rains have fallen in Cobourg, Ont., lately, and yesterday morning what appeared to be a large body of water passed over the town in a northwesterly direction and burst when about two miles distant. In a few minutes creeks became rivers, and all the bridges and dams between where the burst occurred and Lake Ontario were carried away and railway embankments destroyed. Many houses were inundated and the inhabitants had to be rescued in boats.

CABLE NEWS.

London Startled by Another Mysterious Murder.

The Remains of a Woman Found in the Thames.

The Strike of Seamen in Liverpool—Minister Lincoln Going to the Derby—The Sugar Market.

Re-Appearance of "Jack the Ripper."

LONDON, May 4.—The denizens of Horsely Down, Surrey side of the Thames, were thrown into a fever of excitement this morning on discovery in the river of the lower portion of a woman's body cut into two pieces. The rest of the body and legs were nowhere to be seen. The ghastly object is tied in a parcel with a stout cord. Shortly after a parcel of feminine clothing was found at Battersea. Both fragments of the body were wrapped in pieces of cloth, which together had comprised a pair of woman's drawers. On the waist band of the drawers was the name of "Fisher" in indelible ink. It is evident that the clothing found belonged to the murdered woman. A portion of the trunk showed the woman to have been large and well developed. She had apparently been in the water about ten days. The discovery revived the excitement which prevailed during the period of the Whitechapel horrors and it is generally believed "Jack the Ripper" has resumed his bloody work. At Battersea was found the thighs of a female, showing conclusive evidence of having been cut from the trunk found at Horsely Down. They, too, were wrapped in a piece of a pair of drawers.

Thrown from a Horse.

LONDON, June 4.—While riding in Rotten Row to-day, Henry Matthews, home secretary, was thrown from his horse and fell heavily to the ground. John H. Heaton, M. P. for Canterbury, was near at hand and picked the secretary up. He was found to have been somewhat shaken up, but otherwise not injured. Mr. Heaton assisted him to remount and he continued his ride.

Francis Joseph and the Kaiser.

LONDON, June 4.—It is now understood that some time in August, after Emperor William's return from his visit to London, he will receive a visit in Berlin from Emperor Francis Joseph of Austria, and that he will return the visit soon after and in time to attend Austrian autumn manœuvres in Moravia. Before returning to Berlin he will pay a visit to Count Kalnoky at the latter's castle in Littowitz in Moravia, and enjoy a few days shooting in Styria.

London's Latest Sensation.

LONDON, June 4.—Further examination of the remains found in the Thames to-day indicate they may be those of a lady of wealth and position, and it is not at all unlikely that when the remains are identified a sensation will be created. Diligent search is being made for the head.

The Clyde Sugar Market.

LONDON, June 4.—The Clyde sugar market advanced ninepence to-day on receipt of telegrams from the Continent, and the boom was accelerated by a report that America had bought 50,000 tons.

Killed in a Race.

LONDON, June 4.—Lieut. Count Darco was killed by a fall from his horse while riding in a hurdle race at Frankfort yesterday.

Going to the Derby.

LONDON, June 4.—Mr. Lincoln has accepted the invitation of the Vanderbilts to join their Derby party to-morrow. The party leave here on a special train in the morning.

To Take the Place of Strikers.

LONDON, June 4.—The ship owners of Liverpool are considering a proposition to import several hundred Lascars from the East Indies to take the place of the striking sailors.

The Visiting American Engineers.

LONDON, June 4.—The visiting American engineers are in Liverpool to-day. Some of them propose to visit Manchester this week and others go to Birmingham.

The English Seamen Win.

LIVERPOOL, June 4.—The difficulty of shipmasters and owners in obtaining crews for vessels is fast increasing. Even novices, whose services are being sought in place of experienced seamen, stokers, etc., are demanding the ten shillings extra for which old men stand out, notwithstanding the fact that their work is worth almost nothing. In the face of this state of affairs, and in view of other difficulties encountered, the ship owners of Glasgow, Londonderry and Aberdeen have yielded to the demands.

Hungary's Premier Banqueted.

PESTH, June 4.—Herr Von Tisza, prime minister of Hungary, was entertained at a banquet last night given in his honor by the leading members of the liberal party. Replying to the toast of welcome, Tisza delivered a stirring speech, in which he declared that those who, under the cloak of radicalism, were endeavoring to inject a reactionary element into the government intending ultimately to join the reactionary party and overthrow the existing state of affairs, would not succeed in their designs as long as the liberal party remained in existence.

Meeting of Wine Merchants.

LISBON, June 4.—A large meeting of wine merchants was held at Oporto today at which resolutions passed approving the overtures made to the wine producers by the government. It is believed that this action will have the effect of speedily bringing the present crisis to an end.

A USEFUL PATENT.

A Well-Known Victorian Exercises His Mechanical Skill to Some Advantage.

Mr. Henry G. Fox, engineer of the steamship Sardonyx, has just patented a system of ventilation which is certain to find great favor with the residents not only of this island but throughout the Pacific Coast. The invention is an excellent one, its simplicity of construction being its principal charm. The system (patent No. 31128) which we describe below is known as the "Columbia" cowl or ventilator, an air pump system of ventilation. The ventilator for extracting foul or heated air by the co-operation of unalterable laws, when fixed on the roof of a building or top of a chimney and connected with the room or rooms below by a shaft, at once begins to fulfill its functions without any further attention. The external air acting upon the ventilator produces a vacuum in the shop, and consequently a powerful suction force on the air inside the building, which is drawn up in a steady current and dispersed. From whatever direction, and however strongly the wind may blow, the draft can never get down the shaft on account of its special construction. It is impossible for the ventilator to get out of gear, having no moveable parts, and it cannot get clogged with rust. The "Columbia" is adapted to every kind of building, from the largest institution to the modest cottage. We understand the patentee has appointed Messrs. S. L. Kelly & Son as his agents, and they undertake to supply the various sizes at a very low figure, thus enabling our builders to save the cost, trouble and loss of time in importing from elsewhere, while at the same time they would encourage a local manufacture and stimulate the energies of our inventors. Mr. Fox has introduced the ventilator to the C. P. N. Company and Capt. John Irving, the manager, expresses his great approval of the invention.

CAPITAL NOTES.

Van Horne and Party Coming to British Columbia.

A London Immigration Agent Coming West.

The Government Sets its Foot Down on Granting Tremendous Powers Asked for by Certain Companies.

(From our Own Correspondent.)

OTTAWA, June 4.—The Government has had to set its foot down against granting the tremendous powers asked for by certain companies, chartered only under the general Act by the issue of letters patent. Recently a British Columbia lumber company asked, in addition to ordinary powers, liberty to operate steamship and railway lines, and also to carry on a general merchandise business. The Government only granted the powers necessary to carry on the lumber business.

Van Horne and party are en route to British Columbia.

Alberta has sent a delegate east to work up immigration to the territories.

Rev. Mr. Douglass, of London, is here, heading for British Columbia. He is inquiring into the resources of the country for immigration purposes.

Justice Bickerton, of Honolulu, is here, en route home via Victoria.

SIR LEONARD TILLEY

Welcomed to Vancouver by a Committee of New Brunswickers.

He Will Be Presented with an Address To-day and on Thursday Will Come to Victoria.

(From Our Own Correspondent.)

VANCOUVER, B. C., June 4.—Sir Leonard Tilley, his son Leonard, and Dr. Bayard, arrived to-day and were met by a committee of New Brunswickers at Port Moody. At the station a large growd had assembled, many of them old friends of the Lieut.-Governor. The party were delighted with the trip over the mountains. They are guests at the Hotel Vancouver. In the afternoon they were driven around Stanley park and were charmed with it. Sir Leonard will reply to an address at the Imperial Opera House to-morrow evening. It promises to be a great success. They leave on Thursday for Victoria, and will remain there over Sunday anyway, and will probably go to Nanaimo and return here by way of New Westminster. Sir Leonard is in splendid health. Both he and Dr. Bayard were much grieved to learn of Judge Gray's serious illness.

AMERICAN NEWS.

Medical Congress.

NEW YORK, June 4.—Fifty doctors of both sex and other members of the society of medical jurisprudence, assembled in Steinway hall this morning to form an American international congress of medical jurisprudence. Lieut.-Governor Jones acted as chairman, and Rev. DeWitt Talmage made an address of welcome. The congress will last all the week, and doctors from all over the country are expected to be present.

Mysterious Murder.

TRENTON, Mich., June 4.—Lawrence Murry, a batchelor, aged 46 years, and his mother, aged 80, residing on an unfrequented road in Argentine township, Green county, were murdered several days ago. Both were shot in the back of the head. The bodies were found in a cellar where they had been taken by the murderers.

A Fatal Lover's Quarrel.

HAVRE DE GRACE, Md., June 4.—This morning Miss Annie McMaster, a well-known young lady, fatally shot herself with a revolver. Miss McMaster and Daniel W. Kenley, it is understood, were engaged to be married. Last night the lovers had a quarrel, and Mr. Kenley went to Washington some time in the night. This morning Miss McMaster came downstairs and secured her brother's pistol, saying she was going to shoot herself. Her brother tried to take it away from her, but before he could do so she fired the bullet into her right side. She died at 7:30 a. m. She was twenty years old.

Desperate Fight with a Burglar.

TOPEKA, Kans., June 4.—One of the most startling tragedies ever enacted in this city occurred this morning 4 at o'clock. Hon. A. T. Rodgers was fatally shot by a burglar and Mrs. Rodgers was shot so that her recovery is doubtful. At the home named Mr. and Mrs. Rodgers, who sleep on the second story back room at their home, Third street, were awakened by the entrance in the room of a man from the outside. Rodgers started to grapple with him, followed by Mrs. Rodgers. The burglar fired as they closed in on him, the ball taking effect in Mrs. Rodgers' groin. A fierce struggle resulted, but Mr. Rodgers finally got the pistol away and pounded the villain on the head, driving him from the house. Latest reports are that both Mr. and Mrs. Rodgers are fatally wounded.

The wife of Geo. Harvey, head master of the Halifax, N. S., Art School, suicided on Monday evening by drowning.

The first through train on the Canadian Pacific short line to St. John, N. B., left Montreal at 8:30 on Sunday evening.

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AN OBJECTLESS AGITATION.

The politico-religious agitators in Ontario are still engaged in the very pleasant and elevating recreation of smashing the Jesuits. What their object is no one appears to know. The speeches at the hundred and one meetings are very eloquent, exceedingly sarcastic and terribly fierce, but when Little Peterkin's question, "What is it all about?" is asked, there is no understandable answer. The agitators appear to have given up the hope of having the Jesuits' Estates' Act disallowed. They despair of prevailing upon the Government to stultify themselves by advising the Governor-General to do at their dictation what, before the anti-Jesuit pressure was applied, they had advised him not to do. The agitators appear to have at last been forced to the conclusion that it is hopeless to attempt to prevail upon the Governor-General to disregard both the advice of his Ministers and the will of Parliament, very emphatically expressed, and on his unsupported authority disallow the Act that is to them so obnoxious. They do not appear to think it practicable to drive the Jesuits out of the country, and to have it decreed that not a member of the Order shall, on pain of death, ever again set his foot on Canadian territory. It has, after months of fruitless agitation, dawned upon them that none of these ends can be accomplished by meetings and speeches and letters to the newspapers and strongly worded resolutions. The only thing that can be done is to test the constitutionality of the Jesuits' Incorporation Act and the Jesuits' Estates Act, and this can be done as well without meetings and orations as with them. Besides, when the question gets into the hands of matter of fact, hard-headed lawyers, who can only consider matters of dry law, and who will not be allowed to indulge in the luxury of denunciation, there is no knowing what the result will be. The politico-religious effervescence settles down, and the agitation becomes stale and flat when it passes into the courts of law. But then our fervid countrymen have one consolation. Revenge is sweet, at any rate by anticipation, even to the Anti-Jesuit agitators, and their spirits rise when they think of the punishment that they will mete out to the members of Parliament who had the audacity to disregard their dictation and to vote as their consciences and their judgment dictated. When the time comes they will let these men know that it was not safe to treat their warnings and threats with contempt. Yet even here there appears to be a slight indication of a breach in the incipient "Third Party." When some of the agitators declare that Sir John Macdonald shall be among the first to feel the effects of their righteous indignation and when they dwell with anticipatory relish on the punishment which he shall receive for his contumacy, many of their most ardent supporters feel uneasy and a suspicion find its way into their minds that the speakers in their denunciation of the veteran Conservative leader are not actuated solely by anti-Jesuit zeal, but that political antipathy and party prejudice give a flavor of bitterness to their fervid oratory. There is a spice of grittiness in many of the speeches which will leave a decidedly unpleasant after-taste in many mouths. In the same way contemptuous allusions to Blake and Cartwright and Patterson fall unpleasantly on the ears of Liberal anti-Jesuits and may lead them to conclude that the agitation may, after all, be a deep laid scheme to dish the Grits. The refusal, too, of leading agitators to leave their respective parties will also add to the distrust with which the men who now listen greedily to diatribes against the Jesuits and will create a feeling of jealousy between the two great sections into which the admirers of the agitators are divided and prevent their acting cordially together. Party feeling will be pretty sure to reassert itself, and men who have been the victims of the Jesuit scare will, after a while, see that there is really nothing to be afraid of, and will go back to their party allegiance. This result will be hastened by the conviction which will be sure to come to all but the most narrow-minded, shallow and bigoted of the new party that there is nothing beneficial to any religious denomination, or to any part of the population, to be gained by continuing this politico-religious agitation. When closely examined the Jesuit scarecrow will be divested of its terrifying proportions and will be seen to be manufactured out of some very old clothes, by no means skillfully tied and tacked on to a harmless and more than half-rotten stick.

CANADA MISREPRESENTED.

Mr. Blackburn Harte, a young Englishman, who has been in Canada a few months, has undertaken to write to the Forum on public opinion in Canada with respect to annexation to the United States. We have not seen the article, but an American contemporary says that "he professes to be thoroughly acquainted with all shades of politics and public opinion in the Dominion, and that he sets forth, and that very clearly and positively, his reasons for believing that there is a strong drift of Canadian opinion towards union with the United States." This is how Canada is misrepresented in the United States. A lad who has an itch for scribbling comes to Canada from England. He gets employment on a Montreal newspaper, and after being a reporter a few months considers that he knows all about Canada and Canadians. He then modestly proceeds to enlighten the people of the United States on the subject of annexation. He is about as fit to write about public opinion in Canada on any subject as the boy who sweeps out a lawyer's office is to give an opinion on the constitutionality of the Jesuits' Estates Act. Native Canadians who possess intelligence and ability, and who have had ample means of observation, have formed widely different opinions as to the prevalence of annexation sentiment in the Dominion, yet this lad, who if he really possesses ability, would see that he does not know enough about the country and its people to enable him to form an intelligent opinion as to the views of Canadians on any subject, has the presumption "positively" to tell the American people that the trend of public opinion in Canada is towards annexation. And the stuff that this conceited greenhorn writes is given to the world as Canadian opinion! A magazine ambitious of occupying a high place in periodical literature should make some enquiry into the antecedents of its contributors and into their ability to instruct the public on the subjects on which they write. To palm off Mr. Blackburn Harte's opinions on the public as those of a Canadian capable of treating a Canadian subject intelligently is nothing better than a fraud. The man is not a Canadian, and it is impossible for him to know anything about Canadian public opinion.

AM IMPORTANT TRIAL.

The end of the first stage of what promises to be a very long and tedious ecclesastical lawsuit has been reached. It will be remembered that Dr. King, Bishop of Lincoln, was cited to appear before the Archbishop of Canterbury for alleged offences in the matter of ritual. He called in question the authority of the Archbishop to try him, alleging that Convocation was the proper tribunal. The Archbishop was most unwilling to undertake to try the case, and refused to do so until the promoters of the prosecution had obtained from the Privy Council an opinion that he had the power to deal with offences of this kind. Fortified by this opinion he opened his court and cited the Bishop of Lincoln to appear before him. The Bishop called in question the jurisdiction of the Court and this was the first point which the Archbishop was called upon to determine. The question was by no means an easy one to decide. The Bishop had for his counsel the most learned and skilful ecclesiastical lawyers in the Kingdom, Sir Walter Phillimore and Mr. Jaune, and they made a very strong case against the competency of the Archbishop to try the issue. It appears that an Archbishop of Canterbury had not held a court of the same kind for two hundred years. It was found that in the reign of William III. the then Archbishop of Canterbury tried a Bishop and deprived him of his see, and the jurisdiction of the Archbishop was confirmed by the House of Lords. The Archbishop, however, did not depend upon precedent alone to establish his jurisdiction. He delivered an elaborate decision which showed that he had been a diligent student of canon law and that he had by independent research found out what had been the practice of the Church in England from a very early age in its history. It does not seem likely that the Bishop of Lincoln will be satisfied with the decision. After the delivery of the decision his counsel asked for a month's respite to enable his client to make up his mind whether he would submit to the Archbishop's jurisdiction, appeal to the Privy Council or go to the Queen's Bench for a writ of prohibition. So the prospect is that it will be a long time before it will be decided whether using lighted candles on the Communion table by daylight, mixing water with the Sacramental wine, turning his back to the people while consecrating the bread and wine, and the other irregularities of which the Bishop of Lincoln is accused, are according to or contrary to the laws by which the ceremonies of the Church of England are regulated.

SINGULAR STATEMENTS.

Mr. William O'Brien said some very foolish things in Parliament the other day about his last visit to Canada. He endeavored to make his hearers believe that Lord Lansdowne and Mr. Goldwin Smith made speeches inciting the populace to use violence towards him. This is not true, as everyone in Canada knows. Mr. O'Brien's visit was a very great mistake. He had hardly landed in Canada before he found that nothing that he could say or do could induce the Canadian people to treat the Queen's Representative with disrespect. Lord Lansdowne was a good Governor-General. His conduct, both official and unofficial, was irreproachable, and they would not aid in any movement that could be regarded as disrespectful to him personally or calculated to bring into disrepute the office he filled to the complete satisfaction of men of all parties and all classes. With Lord Lansdowne as a landed proprietor Canadians had nothing to do, and they had too much regard for fair play to condemn him on the representation of his open and avowed enemies. In Montreal the people left Mr. O'Brien severely alone. He held a meeting which was pretty well attended, chiefly by his countrymen, but there was no demonstration in his honor, neither, although the feeling against him was very strong, was there any public indication of disapproval. In Toronto this wise course was not pursued. Some injudicious people were foolish enough to do Mr. O'Brien a service by giving him a pretext to pose as a martyr. In Hamilton, too, we believe, there was a bit of a shindy. But Lord Lansdowne had no more to do with these disturbances than had the President of the United States. It is very probable that he deplored them as much as any man in Canada. For Mr. O'Brien to say that he made "murderous speeches" or was the author of "murderous incitements to violence" is a gross and flagrant violation of the truth. Mr. O'Brien has no reason to be proud of that visit to Canada. He has to thank some excitable people in Ontario that it was not an utter failure. Had he been treated as many advocates of Home Rule for Ireland wished to have him treated, nothing worthy of even a remark would have happened during his stay.

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BEGS to inform the citizens of Victoria and public generally, that all orders for Castings, Boilers, or other work in their line, will not only meet with prompt attention, but that in addition to reasonable rates (including free delivery in Victoria), they are also prepared to guarantee their work as equal, if not superior, to any to be had elsewhere in the Province. Having appointed ANDREW GRAY, Esq. (Victoria Machinery Depot) as their Agent in Victoria, with full power and authority to quote prices, receive orders and enter into contracts in their name. All parties desirous of further information are respectfully requested to apply to him on the subject.
R. P. COOKE. President.
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PROPERTY FOR SALE.

IN THE SUPREME COURT
—OF—
BRITISH COLUMBIA.
CAMERON vs. HARPER
Sale of Defendant's Estate.
TENDERS
are invited for the purchase of the whole of the Estate of the Defendant in British Columbia, consisting of about
40,000 Acres
OF FREEHOLD LAND,
with Cattle, Horses, Agricultural Implements, etc., either *en bloc* as a going concern, or in parcels.
Tenders to be delivered (Sealed)
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endorsed "Tenders for the purchase of the Estate of Thaddeus Harper."
For Full Details
of lands, chattels and Terms of Sale, etc.,
SEE CATALOGUES,
with Particulars and Conditions of Sale, which can be obtained from Mr. CHARLES WILSON, solicitor for plaintiff; from Messrs. DRAKE, JACKSON & HELMCKEN, solicitors for the defendant; and from the Offices of the "COLONIST," and "Times," Victoria, the "World," Vancouver, the "Inland Sentinel," Kamloops, the "Oregonian," Portland, Oregon, the "Bulletin," San Francisco, California, and the British Columbia Land Investment Agency (limited), 15 Serjeants' Inn, Fleet street, London, E.C., England, and from the undersigned.
H. S. MASON,
J. C. PREVOST,
je4 Receivers.

ROYAL HOSPITAL PROPERTY
For Sale by Tender.
PURSUANT TO AN ACT PASSED AT the last session of the Legislative Assembly of British Columbia, entitled "An Act to authorize and facilitate the sale of the site of the Royal Hospital, with the buildings thereon," the Directors of the Royal Hospital invite sealed tenders for the purchase of so much of the lots known and numbered on the official map of Spring Ridge as Sections 24, 25, 26 and 27 Spring Ridge, in the City of Victoria, as is authorized by the said Act to be sold, being the present site of the Royal Hospital, with all improvements thereon, and containing five acres, more or less.
Tenders must be accompanied by a certified bank cheque for one thousand dollars; the balance of purchase money which shall be payable as may be agreed on, shall bear interest at the rate of 5 per cent. per annum, and shall be secured in a manner satisfactory to the Directors.
For plan of property and further particulars apply to J. Stuart Yates, Hon. Sec'y, to whom the tenders marked "Hospital Site Tender," must be addressed and sent in on or before 12 o'clock noon on the 21st day of June, 1889.
The highest or any tender not necessarily accepted.
J. STUART YATES, Hon. Sec'y. JOSHUA DAVIES, President.
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A MACHINE SHOP, WITH COMPLETE outfit, valued at $5,500. Can be bought for $3,500. Splendid opening for parties wishing to engage in the Machine Shop business. For particulars apply to
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Baled and delivered to any part of the city at lowest market rates.
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my10-2mo Gonzales Farm.

NOTICES.

In the Supreme Court of British Columbia.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

Re ELWYN, Deceased.

PURSUANT TO A DECREE OF THE Supreme Court of British Columbia, made in the matter of the Estate of Thomas Elwyn, deceased, and in a cause of W. & J. Wilson and C. E. Redfern, on behalf of themselves and all other the creditors of the said Thomas Elwyn against Hamilton Moffatt. The creditors of the said Thomas Elwyn, late of the City of Victoria, who died on or about the 11th day of September, A. D. 1888, are, on or before the eleventh day of July, 1889, to come in and prove their claims at the office of the Registrar of the said Court, in the Court House, Bastion square, Victoria, or in default thereof they will be peremptorily excluded from the benefit of the said decree. Thursday, the 18th day of July, 1889, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon at the said office, is appointed for hearing and adjudicating upon the claims.
Dated this 4th day of April, A. D. 1889.
JAMES C. PREVOST,
ap6-3m-dw Registrar.

NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT the Selkirk Mining and Smelting Company (Limited) have filed with me, under the provisions of the Mineral Acts, an application for a Crown grant of the "Lanark" mineral claim in the Illecillewaet camp in West Kootenay District. Adverse claimants, if any, are required to send in their objections within sixty days from the date hereof.
G. M. SPROAT,
Farwell, 7th May, 1889. G. C., &c.
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NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, THAT Wah Lee, of Quesnelle, B. C., Merchants, have made an assignment, dated the 4th April, 1889, for the benefit of their creditors, to Dong Tai, of Victoria, B. C., Trader, and all persons claiming to be creditors of their estate are requested to send full particulars of their claims to the undersigned on or before Monday the 20th day of May, 1889, when the trustee will proceed to distribute the moneys in his hands ratably among those creditors only who may then have proved their claims; and all persons indebted to the said estate are requested forthwith to pay the amount of their indebtedness to the said Dong Tai, or the undersigned.
Dased the 16th day of April, 1889.
EBERTS & TAYLOR,
Langley street, Victoria, B. C.,
ap17 Solicitors for the said Dong Tai.

PRELIMINARY NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, THAT Ewen Bell, of Clinton, B.C., merchant, has made an assignment dated April 18th, 1889, for the benefit of his creditors, to Thomas Earle, merchant, and A. A. Green, banker, both of Victoria, B. C., and all persons claiming to be creditors of his estate are requested to send full particulars of their claims to the said Thomas Earle on or before Saturday, the 1st day of June, 1889; and all persons indebted to the said estate are requested forthwith to pay the amount of their indebtedness to the said Trustees.
EBERTS & TAYLOR,
Solicitors for the Trustees.
April 24th, 1889. ap25

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT thirty days after date I intend making application to the Hon. the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for a license to cut and carry away timber from a tract of land situated on Havannah Channel; commencing at Hugh G. Ashby's stake on White Beach Point; thence west 10 chains; south 140; east 30; north 10; containing 1000 acres more or less.
S. D. ANDERSON.
Chemainus, April 30, 1889. ap30

LORENZO LERTORA, Deceased.

ALL PERSONS HAVING ANY CLAIMS against the estate of Lorenzo Lertora, formerly of the Fountain, near Lillooet, deceased, are hereby required to send in the particulars of their claims to Gillio Piaggio of Happy Valley, Metchosin District, or to Nicola Bonini of the Fountain, Lillooet, the executors of the will of the said deceased, on or before the 1st day of July next. Dated 30th April, 1889.
my1-1mo GILLIO PIAGGIO.

NOTICE is hereby given that sixty days after date I intend making application to the Honorable, the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for a license to cut and carry away timber from a tract of land situated on Valdez Island, described as follows: Commencing at a post planted in a bay one mile north of Bow Point; thence north 40 chains; thence west 60; thence north 60; thence east 100; thence south 120; thence west 40 chains to point of commencement, containing 1,000 acres, more or less.
JOSEPH LITTLE.
Nanaimo. April 19th, 1889.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, THAT 30 days after date we intend making application to the Honorable the Chief Commissioner of Lands & Works for a lease, for timbering purposes, of the undermentioned tracts of land, situate in Sayward District, and described as follows:—Block No. 1. Commencing at a post on the shore of Discovery Passage, about two miles below Seymour Narrows, said point being the north-west corner of Lot 12, Sayward District; thence east 30 chains; thence north 120 chains; thence west 120 chains, more or less, to Discovery Passage; thence following the shore line of Discovery Passage, in a south-westerly direction, to the point of commencement; and containing 1,000 acres, more or less. Block No. 2. Commencing at a post on the west shore of Discovery Passage, about two miles above Seymour Narrows, thence west 100 chains; thence north 100 chains; thence east 100 chains; more or less, to the shore of Discovery Passage; then following the shore line in a southerly direction to the place of commencement; and containing 1,000 acres, more or less. Block No. 3. Commencing at the north-east corner of Messrs. Haslam & Lees lease (Lot 46) at Salmon River Valley, thence east 270 chains; thence south 640 chains; thence west 240 chains; thence north 225 chains to the south-east corner of said lease; thence along the eastern boundary of the lease 305 chains; thence west 30 chains; thence north 110 chains to the place of commencement, containing 15,690 acres, more or less.
VICTORIA LUMBER & MF'G. CO.
W. J. MACAULAY,
Director.
May 4th, 1889. my7-1m

In the Matter of THE PEOPLE'S STEAM NAVIGATION CO., Limited Liability, AND In the Matter of THE WINDING UP ACT.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT an order to wind up the business of the said Company was, on the 8th day of May instant, made by the Hon. Mr. Justice Crease, and Mr. John Herbert Turner has been appointed provisional liquidator of the estate and effects of the Company.
DAVIE & POOLEY,
Solicitors for the Petitioner.
Dated Victoria, 10th May, 1889.

In the Matter of THE PEOPLE'S STEAM NAVIGATION CO., Limited Liability, AND In the Matter of THE WINDING UP ACT.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN TO THE creditors, contributories, shareholders or members of the said Company, that an application will be made to a Judge of the Supreme Court at the Supreme Court House, Bastion Square, Victoria, on Wednesday, the 22nd day of May instant, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon, for the appointment of Mr. John Herbert Turner as the sole liquidator of the estate and effects of the said Company.
DAVIE & POOLEY,
Solicitors for the Petitioner.
Dated Victoria, 10th May, 1889.
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NOTICE.—I hereby give notice that I intend to apply at the next sitting of the Licensing Court, for a license to sell wines, spirits, beer, porter, or other fermented liquors, by retail, in the premises occupied by me as a restaurant and lodging house, and leased by me, situated in Lot 159*a*, being the third store from the south-west corner of Johnson and Broad streets, and more particularly designated as No. 81 Johnson street. Dated, Victoria, the 3rd day of May, A.D. 1889.—W. G. SUM. 1m

In the Estate of Mrs. S. E. R. Francis, dec'sed

ALL PERSONS INDEBTED TO THE above named Estate are hereby required to pay the amount of such indebtedness forthwith to the undersigned; and all persons having claims against the said Estate are also required to send in particulars of their claims to the undersigned on or before noon on Saturday the 29th day of June, 1889. Dated the 20th day of May, 1889.
YATES & JAY,
my21 Solicitors for the Executor.

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JOHN J. AUSTIN,
Real Estate Agent, Notary, &c.
HAS REMOVED
To No. 57 Government street, two doors north of Morison's Drug Store. my7

S. S. HYAMS, OPTICIAN, 27 FORT ST. near Government street. Received, a consignment of Spectacles and Eye Glasses to sell at 25c. and 50c. pair. Every Glass guaranteed to suit the sight. ☞ Beware of Pedlers and irresponsible persons representing themselves as my Agents, they will impose on you and ruin your sight.
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CHAS. HAYWARD,
Funeral Director and Embalmer.
Langley Street, Victoria.
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H. W. TERNAN & CO.

Assignment for the Benefit of Creditors.

PURSUANT TO THE STATUTE 44 Victoria, chapter 12, entitled "An Act to further amend the law of Property and to relieve Trustees," and the Statute 50 Victoria, chapter 2, entitled "An Act respecting Executors, Trustees and Assignees, for the benefit of Creditors."
Notice is hereby given, that all creditors and persons having any claim or demands upon or against the estate of James Byron Silverthorn and Henry Whitfield Ternan, trading as Ternan and Company, general merchants, at Chilliwhack, New Westminster District, B. C., are hereby required to send particulars thereof in writing to the undersigned on or before the 19th day of July, A. D. 1889, after which day the Trustees will proceed to distribute the assets of the said estate among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the debts, claims and demands of which they then shall have had notice, and that they will not be liable for the assets or any part thereof distributed to any person or persons of whose debts, claims and demands they shall not then have had notice.
Dated this 18th day of May, A. D. 1889.
EBERTS & TAYLOR,
Solicitors for the Trustees,
A. B. GRAY and ROBERT ERSKINE,
my19 both of Victoria, B. C.

NOTICE.

THE UNDERSIGNED WILL SELL HIS valuable Stock and Dairy Farm, 229 acres.
JAMES HABART.
Chemainus,
May 12th, 1889. my12-3m

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NOTICE.

THE UNDERSIGNED, ON BEHALF of the management, hereby tenders thanks to the judges, Messrs. Dr. Davie, J. McNaught, and O. B. Hardy, for their ruling in placing a winning driver behind the horse "Paddy Ryan," in the 2.35 race held this day at the Victoria Driving Park.
J. R. TAIT,
24th May, 1889. Proprietor.
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TRANSLATIONS.
ALL DOCUMENTS, PAPERS AND letters written in French, German Italian, Spanish, Portuguese, Roumanian, Swedish, Danish, Dutch, Flemish, Russian, Polish, Bohemian, Servian, Bulgarian, Sclavonian, Latin, Ancient and Modern Greek, can be translated in this city. Address—P. O. Box 771. mar7

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OLD JOE'S STOMACH.

It Didn't Object to Aqua Fortis Although It Acted a Little Queer.

In the pretty village of Haddonfield, N. J., says the New York Sunday Mercury, there used to reside an old fellow who was familiarly known in the town and country round as "Old Joe." He had no particular occupation except doing chores or errands, nor any particular location. He ate where he could get a bite and slept wherever he could find a lodging place. Joe was a regular old toper, and Jersey lightning had no more effect on his inside than just so much water. He generally made his headquarters at the lower tavern, for there were two in the town. He would sleep and doze away the afternoon on an old bench in one corner of the bar-room, but was always awake when there was any drinking going on. When he was not asked to drink he would slip to the bar and drain the glasses of the few drops left in them.

One afternoon Dr. Bolus, the village physician, was in the tavern mixing up a preparation. He placed a tumbler half full of aqua fortis on the bar, and turned round to mix some other ingredients. A few moments after he had occasion to use the poisonous drug, when he found to his dismay that the tumbler had been drained to the last drop.

"Mr. Wiggins," exclaimed the doctor in affright to the landlord," what has become of the aqua fortis I put on the bar a few moments ago?"

"I don't know," replied the landlord, "unless old Joe slipped in and drank it."

In this suspicion they were soon confirmed, for the hostler said he had seen old Joe swallow the fatal draught. The doctor knowing that he must die after such a dose, instituted a search at once. After some hours spent in looking through the barn, out-houses, woods, etc, for three or four miles round the village, Joe was abandoned to his fate. It was a cold night; and as the village topers assembled around the blazing hickory fire in the bar-room nothing was thought of or talked of but the unfortunate fate of poor old Joe.

Some four or five days elapsed, and nothing having been heard from old Joe, they all came to the conclusion that he was a goner. The doctor, about this time, was called upon to visit a patient some eight miles distant. What was his surprise on seeing old Joe in front of a farmer's house splitting wood!

"Why, Joe," said the doctor, riding up to the fence, "I thought you were dead and buried before this."

"What made you think that, doctor?" said Joe, leaning on his axe handle.

"Didn't you drink that dose I left on old Wiggins' bar a few days since."

"Why - yes," replied Joe, half ashamed to own up to it.

"Do you know what it was?" continued the doctor.

"No," returned Joe.

"Well, it was aqua fortis—enough to kill a dozen men!"

"Well, doctor, do you know I thought there was something queer about that darned stuff, for after I drank it, every time I blowed my nose I burnt a hole in my pocket handkerchief!"

PAWN-SHOP TALES.

Pathetic Stories Told by Unredeemed Jewels and Silverware.

"The pawn shop is the place to study human nature," remarked a gentleman to a Louisville Courier-Journal reporter yesterday. "There you can see low life in all its phases and by listening to the stories related by the customers, you can get some idea of the great struggle for existence which some people are going through with."

With these remarks as a preface, the gentleman pointed into the window of a Market street pawn shop, where "For Sale" was displayed over a solid silver water set of rich and unique design which occupied the place of prominence in the window. The set is composed of a sterling silver water pitcher, chased with gold, a square and heavy tray and two handsome ornamented flagons, each one a foot in height. The set is probably very valuable, but what attracts attention is the inscription on the pitcher. The location of that silver set in the pawn-broker's window must tell its own tale of suffering or want. What privations were endured and what pains it cost the owner to dispose of it will never be known, but the fact remains that it is there and marked "For Sale," which is good evidence that the owner of the silver is unable to redeem the property. The engraving on the face of the pitcher is as follows: "Presented to ——— ———, by the officers of the ——— Bank, January 1, 1882."

In the window of another pawn-shop on Jefferson street another story is equally as well told. But this time it is a narrative of dissipation and carousal rather than one of need or privation. In the center of an attractive grouping of jewelry are displayed two handsome and costly gold medals over which is also hung the sign for sale. These are also valuable and costly and the gold and diamonds and the words of praise inscribed upon them, once caused feelings of pride and ambition to animate poor Thomas Ramsey. These medals were bought and presented to him by admirers when he first came here, green and unsophisticated, a steady boy who had made wonderful strides forward in his profession, that of a base-ball player. Those medals, once his pride and his joy, tell a story vastly different from the widow's silver show a from another pawn-broker's window not many squares away.

A Chestnut from Germany.

The President of the United [illegible] gave a feast. Among the guests, as [illegible] happens, were certain Indian chiefs, says Fliegende Blaetter. A young chief [illegible] that one of the white brothers helped himself to mustard. The Indian also helped himself over-plentifully and transferred the entire portion to his mouth. Notwithstanding the blistering quality of the mustard the stoical son of the wilderness without moving a muscle of his face swallowed the dose. He was, however, unable to keep the tears from trickling down his cheeks. An old Indian, noticing his dolorous plight, asked why he wept. "I weep," said the young warrior, "because my poor father in the waters of Lake Huron before one year drowned was." The old chief made no comment, and in turn helped himself no less liberally to the mustard than his young companion had done. Having swallowed his portion he also began to weep silently. "Old father, why weepest thou, then?" asked him now, with knowing look, the young chief. "I weep," said the older, "because thou not before one year with thy father together in Lake Huron drowned wast."

A Russian Jew's Heroism.

"Let him sink; he is only a Jew," was the exclamation of a crowd of people in a Russian town recently, as they beheld the struggles of a poor wretch in the river. Just then a young man broke through the crowd, which tried to hold him back, and plunging into the river, brought the drowning man to the shore. As the crowd began to jeer at him for saving the life of a mere Jew, it was discovered that the man whose life was saved was a Gentile, and that his brave rescuer was a Jew. The jeering at once ceased and the crowd slunk away.

Bow and Arrow Duel.

A duel was fought in Paris the other day in which those old-fashioned weapons, the bow and arrow, were employed. The principals were each given a six-foot bow and a quiver full of steel headed arrows. Then the seconds fled. Shooting began at will. After several shots had been exchanged one of the combatants started to run and the other chased him, shooting as he ran. The first fighter climbed a tree and the victor shot arrows among the branches until his stock was exhausted and then went quietly home to breakfast. The man in the tree was pretty badly wounded, but will recover. The fight, as usual, was about a woman.

At the Shoe Counter.

Salesman—"That's a perfect fit, lady."
Shopper—"Yes, they feel quite comfortable (slips off shoes and looks at sole). Mercy they are a mile too big! Why, they are 5's, and I never wear any thing larger than 3's."
Salesman—"These are 3's, lady, but you see there's been such a demand for them we've been obliged to mark them up."
Shopper—"Oh! Well, I guess I'll take them. I thought they couldn't be 5's."

THE PEACE RIVER EXCHANGE.

Mr. Higgins, M. P. P., Discusses the Proposition Again.

To the Editor: While complimenting you on the courteous and able manner in which you have so far conducted your side of the discussion, I must enter a protest against your ingenuity in evading or belittling the facts I have produced in support of my position with regard to the proposed exchange of Peace River land for that part of the "sea of mountains" which the Dominion Government find it impossible to dispose of.

You find fault with my statement that no opportunity was given the members of the legislature to bring their minds to bear upon the important subject before prorogation. You show that twenty-four hours elapsed between the time when I first rose to call attention to the proposition of Mr. Mara and prorogation. Twenty-four hours is a long time, truly, for the discussion of a momentous question! If it had occurred to a single member that the government, during the recess, would be advised to commit an outrage on the constitutional prerogatives of the house by attempting to bring about the exchange, I believe that not one but twenty members would have risen to demand that the resolution be rescinded immediately. That such a course was not taken is evidence of the confidence the house felt in the government, and not, as you affect to regard it, evidence of indifference or assent. For myself I will say that, had I entertained the remotest idea that the government would act in any than a thoroughly constitutional and conscientious manner, I should have endeavored to move a substantive resolution, under suspension of the rules, and so would have precipitated a discussion and elicited an expression of opinion, the absence of which you choose to regard as a carte blanche for the government to throw away the Peace River country.

Although you do not withdraw your dangerous and startling advice, delivered with such brutal frankness, to the government to make the exchange on the authority of a two-year old resolution of the house, you have told your readers that the advice was not inspired from James Bay. Well, sir, I am glad to hear it; and I should feel glad to be assured that the step you advise is a long step in advance of the government policy. But your denial as to government responsibility lacks one important essential. Your declaration has drawn forth no disclaimer from the government. The public have no assurance from the ministry that you have misconceived their intentions and misrepresented their policy. When an organ's notes jangle the audience is reminded that the tuner should be called in. Has the government tuner made you a visit? and if he has, why are your notes still discordant? With no desire to be offensive, I say that the public await with some impatience an official repudiation of your views as to the powers and duties of the government in this Peace River matter. Failing a disclaimer, the government will be held responsible in spite of anything you may say.

I do not aspire to be your Father Confessor when I ask if you believe in an Hereafter? In a "personal devil" and a "physical hell?" If you are of opinion that men are punished in the next world for political as well as moral crimes? If you believe in all these things I ask you to picture to yourself the here and hereafter condition of the gentlemen whom you have advised to commit a crime against the constitution. In this world, if they take your advice, they will be punished by defeat; and in the next they will be condemned to torment for a million years, at least, for aiding in passing a free people under the yoke of a railway monopoly.

In the proposition for a fresh partition of the public lands I am reminded of the story of the socialist who stood on a platform and declared that he was in favor of an equal division of property and that no man should hold more property than another. "But," cried a hearer, "if after a division you should squander your share, what would you do then?" "Divide again," retorted the man of colossal cheek. The Dominion having got rid of all the lands that are saleable, like the socialist, would "divide again." Shall we consent to the division?

You, Mr. Editor, have not forgotten the pathetic yet humorous story of the American Indian chief, who, early in the present century, was asked to part with a fresh slice of his land to the United States Government. He invited the commissioner to a seat beside him on a fallen tree. The two smoked in silence for a while. Presently the chief, crowding his companion, said "Move on." The commissioner complied. "Move on," again said the chief. The commissioner moved and continued to move until he was crowded off the log and lay sprawling on the ground. The chief had given a practical illustration—an object lesson—of the way in which the red man was being slowly but surely crowded off the face of the earth. Shall we British Columbians continue to "move on" and on at the bidding of the Dominion Government until, like the poor Indian, there will be left scarcely a rood of land fit for settlement out of the grand country that was passed into our hands at the date of confederation?

You repeat the cuckoo cry that was heard when the 3½ millions of acres were granted to the Dominion Government in the Settlement Bill. You talk about the Dominion Government opening the Peace River lands to settlement when "every settler in it, every trader or lumberman will become a taxpayer to the Province." But you forget that the Dominion Government have not made the first effort to improve the land in the Peace River country which they got from us in 1884. It has not even been selected. It remains in its wilderness state and will continue to do so for many years to come unless the Canadian Western is pushed through, which it can never be if the Provincial Government parts with the Peace River lands. To pass those lands over to the Dominion Government would be to lock them up and throw the key away, and the child yet unborn would not live to see the first rail of a second transcontinental line laid in British Columbia.

You ridicule the figures which I laid before your readers as to the extent of the Peace River country. In that branch of your article you do not treat me with the fairness which is your chief characteristic. I told you the figures were taken from the Canadian Senate Committee's report, session of 1888. You disregard that authority, although, considering that the report was the outcome of a committee that sat for several weeks and heard a host of witnesses, I am prepared to stand sponsor for its statements and endorse its statistical information. And yet you, who spurn the committee's report on Peace River, adopt Mr. Dawson's report on the Nechaco basin as correct.

Your article shows that you still labor under an hallucination regarding the difficulty of a dual administration of the minerals in the railway belt. Mr. Dewdney, by whose department the mineral lands will be administered, told Mr. Mara in the House (see Hansard) that no difficulty would be experienced. Why do you continually, studiedly and obstinately refuse to read Mr. Dewdney's speech, or, reading it, persist in misunderstanding its significance? Language could not be plainer. Oh! that the scales would fall from your eyes and you were able to read and understand the speech as others read and understand it!

The example of Manitoba is worthy of imitation here. Conservatives and Liberals met on a common platform in defence of provincial rights, and won. The local government were on the side of the people. How stands it with thee, brother? How stands it with the government of British Columbia? Are you and they on the side of the people? or are you and they preparing to follow the bad advice to open negotiations and close a bargain with Ottawa on the basis of the resolution of 1887 in violation of the constitution and in opposition to public sentiment?

I feel strongly on this subject, because I am convinced that if the policy you dictate to James Bay shall be adopted disastrous consequences will follow as surely as night follows day. Do not think that I have taken my position hurriedly or without due consideration. It has cost me more than one pang of regret to find that I am not in accord with a newspaper over the fortunes of which for more than a quarter of a century I presided; and that I have felt impelled to write as I have written of a government for the members of which I entertain the most friendly feeling, personally, and to whom I have given a loyal and unselfish support whenever their policy did not clash with what I conceived to be my duty to the public.

I shall be censured by some; but I trust I shall not be deemed guilty of bathos when I say, in the words of Gladstone, "It is better to lose praise than to lose the bracing discipline resulting from free public discussion of a great public matter."

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Candidates must be punctual.

S. D. POPE,
my28 Superintendent of Education.

Provincial Secretary's Office,
8th May, 1889.

WHEREAS the Lieutenant Governor in Council is empowered, under the "Public School Act," to create School Districts, in addition to those already existing, and to define the boundaries thereof, and from time to time to alter the boundaries of existing Districts; it is hereby notified that His Honour has been pleased to create the following tract of land to be a School District, under the title of the "Essington School District," viz.:—

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By Command.

JOHN ROBSON,
my23-1w Provincial Secretary.

NOTICE

Is hereby given that all communications in respect to matters affecting the Department of Indian Affairs, should be addressed to the Honorable E. Dewdney as Superintendent General of Indian Affairs, and not as Minister of the Interior, or to the undersigned. All Officers of the Department should address their official letters to the undersigned.

L. VANKOUGHNET,
Deputy Superintendent-General of Indian Affairs.

Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, 11th May, 1889. my23-13t

TABLE

Showing the Dates and Places of Courts of Assize, Nisi Prius, and Oyer and Terminer, for the Year 1889.

SPRING ASSIZES.

[*On Vancouver Island.*]

Victoria............Monday ....20th May.
Nanaimo...........Tuesday ....4th June.

[*On Mainland.*]

New Westminster..Wednesday.1st May.
Kamloops..........Monday ... 3rd June.
Clinton.............Monday....10th June.

FALL ASSIZES.

[*On Mainland.*]

Richfield...........Monday ....9th Sept.
Clinton.............Wednesday.25th Sept.
Kamloops..........Monday ....7th Oct.
Lytton..............Monday ....14th Oct.
New Westminster..Wednesday.13th Nov.

[*On Vancouver Island.*]

Victoria............Monday ....25th Nov.
Nanaimo...........Tuesday ....3rd Dec.

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Education Branch
of the Prov'l Secretary's Dep't,
Victoria, May 7th, 1889.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Annual Examination of candidates for certificates of qualification to teach in the Public Schools of the Province will be held as follows, commencing on Monday, July 8th, at 10 a. m.:—

In Victoria............Legislative Hall.
In Kamloops...Public School Building.

Each applicant must forward a notice, thirty days before the examination, stating the class and grade of certificate for which he will be a candidate, and the place at which he will attend.

S. D. POPE,
my10-1m Supt. of Education.

NOTICE.

SITTINGS of the County Court of Cariboo will be held at—

Lillooet..........Thursday, 23rd May. 1889
Clinton...........Saturday, 8th June, "
150-Mile House...Thursday, 27th June, "
Soda Creek.......Saturday, 29th June, "
Quesnellemouth..Tuesday.. 2nd July, "
Richfield.........Friday... 5th July, "

By Command,

JNO. ROBSON,
Provincial Secretary.

Provincial Secretary's Office,
24th April, 1889. ap26-2m

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RUSSELL'S, Vic. W		" 6.56	" 1.00	" 8.24	" 3.36	
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GOLDSTREAM		" 6.21	" 12.23 P.M	" 9.01	" 4.11	
SHAWNIGAN L'E		" 5.26	" 11.28	" 9.56	" 5.05	
COBBLE HILL		" 5.16	" 11.16	" 10.08	" 5.16	
McPHERSON'S		" 5.01	" 10.59	" 10.25	" 5.31	
KOKSILAH		" 4.51	" 10.47	" 10.37	" 5.41	
DUNCAN'S		" 4.46	" 10.42	" 10.42	" 5.46	
SOMENOS		" 4.36	" 10.32	" 10.52	" 5.56	
CHEMAINUS		" 4.14	" 10.06	" 11.18	" 6.18	
NANAIMO	P.M.		De 9.01	Ar 12.20 P.M	" 7.16	P.M.
NANAIMO	Ar 8.00	" 3.16	Ar 8.55	De 12.29		De 10.30
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Time Table No. 11 Takes Effect March 23, 1889.

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For Plumper Pass—Wednesday and Friday, at 7 o'clock.

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ANNEXATION, reciprocity, commercial union, and the Jesuit bill are bothering Canadians a good deal more than anything we know of. But as long as business keeps increasing with us in the way it has this last year, we will remain right here and be happy. Hastie and Lockhart have the finest bedroom suites and sideboards for the least money ever exhibited in Victoria.

In 10 Days Time.

"Was troubled with headache, bad blood and loss of appetite, and tried all sorts of medicines without success. I then tried one bottle of Burdock Blood Bitters and found relief in 10 days." A. J. Meindle, Mattawa, Ont. t-w-f

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The "EN TOUT CAS" of the season, forming by a simple contrivance *two shapes in one*. At THE WESTSIDE. See them.

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Good for All.

Dear Sirs:—I can recommend Hagyard's Yellow Oil as a sure cure for rheumatism, from which disease I suffered for some time, but was cured with two bottles. It is the best thing I can get for man or horse. J. Mustard, Strathavon, Ont. swf

Pictou Pencillings.

Mr. Hazen F. Murray, of Pictou, N. S., writes: "I was affected with dyspepsia and nervous debility, and tried many remedies without avail, but one bottle of Burdock Blood Bitters much improved me and two more made me a well man." s-w-t

An additional supply of Lawn Tennis Racquets just received by T. N. HIBBEN & Co.

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Here lies a sceptic long in doubt
If DALEY'S was the place to buy or not;
A trial ends his doubtfulness at last,
Convinced,—but oh! the bargains lost!

Don't fail to call at DALEY'S, 111 Government street, and get ocular demonstration [illegible] good value and reasonable prices o[illegible] Stationery, Brushware, Combs and [illegible]

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Many Thanks.

"My age is 58 and for 20 years I have suffered from kidney complaint, rheumatism and lame back, and would have been a dead woman if it had not been for Burdock Blood Bitters, of which two bottles restored me to health and strength." Miss Maggie Headsby, Half Island Cove, N.S. s-w-t

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"I can plainly state that I can find nothing better than Hagyard's Yellow Oil. I have rheumatism occasionally, and Yellow Oil does me great good. You can use my name if you wish." Yours truly, H. Dickinson, confectioner, St. Thomas, Ont. s-w-t

MARINE.

The tug "Lorne" was at Spratt's wharf yesterday afternoon, and her fine and graceful lines and the general high character of the work was the subject of general favorable comment.

Str. Alexander left for Nanaimo last evening to tow down the ship Ericsson coal laden for San Francisco.

BY TELEGRAPH.

NEW YORK, June 4.—Arrived—Elbe, Bremen.

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An Icelander, named Johnston, was caught on the bridge near Medicine Hat on Saturday by the Atlantic express and both legs were taken off. He succumbed to his injuries on Sunday.

A Winnipeg despatch says the residence of W. R. Parsons at Neepawa was destroyed by fire, and Mrs. Parsons narrowly escaped cremation by jumping from one of the upper windows.

TYNDALL.

Professor Tyndall, the scientist, is an Irishman, but an intense anti-home ruler. Professor Tyndall's family was originally of an English stock—indeed the professor traces his descent to the great Tyndall, the translator of the Bible. His parents were by no means rich, and young John may be said to have educated himself.

DEATHS AT THE EIFFEL TOWER.

The Paris correspondent of the Leeds Mercury says:—In talking with the workmen at the Eiffel Tower I was surprised to hear of a number of fatal accidents which have never been made public. I was assured that there amounted to nearly a hundred; but the census would not be taken until all was over. As the French say, omelets cannot be made without the breaking of [illegible]

LOCAL AND PROVINCIAL.

The Nanaimo Election.

The writ for the election of a member to the legislature for Nanaimo district, to fill the vacancy caused by the death of the late Hon. R. Dunsmuir was issued on Monday.

New Goods

Just received at the Mechanics' cash clothing store 55 Johnson street: one case white shirts and collars, one case summer stiff hats, new underwear, ties, summer coats, straw hats, etc., etc.

Nanaimo Assizes.

The spring assizes at Nanaimo opened yesterday in the new courthouse. In the case of Ah Sam, charged with larceny, Mr. Eberts will appear for the crown. In the other cases—two Indians charged with murder—the deputy attorney-general will prosecute.

To Visit Vancouver.

It is probable that should a sufficient number of the men be able to attend, the three local batteries of Volunteer artillery will visit Vancouver on the 1st of July. The artillery and rifles from New Westminster will very likely be present also, and a military parade will be one of the features of the celebration.

Incoming Passengers.

The steamship City of Puebla left San Francisco yesterday morning, with the following passengers for Victoria: Mrs. E. Foxby, Mrs. H. Russell, Miss M. Goodwin, Miss L. M. Adams, Miss A. Goodwin, H. Dow, W. Harvey and wife, C. Taylor, Mrs. Trackslow and daughter, Mrs. C. Desmond, W. F. Scott.

Registered Mail Pouches.

Wm. Henay, chief clerk of the railway mail service, Portland, writes as follows: "Commencing June 1st, there will be established an exchange of international registered pouches between San Francisco and Victoria, B. C., and Portland and Victoria. These pouches will be carried between Victoria and Seattle in steamers of the Oregon Railway and Navigation Company, and between Seattle and Tacoma, via trains 21 and 22."

League Pennant.

A pennant for the championship of the Victoria Baseball League for 1889 was displayed during Saturday's game, and will be flown to the breeze at each succeeding game. It is in the shape of a flag, nine feet long, three feet wide and two and one quarter feet at the tail. The tail is shaped [illegible] half-inverted [illegible] pole is twenty feet in heigh[illegible] colors of the pennant are [illegible] blue border [illegible] the latter being "V. B. L. 1889."

A New [illegible]

It has been decided [illegible] Postoffice authorities on account of the increasing number [illegible] employed at the Alder[illegible]mans, to institute a mail service between Victoria and that place. Mails will leave here by the Nanaimo train on Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays, and will be dropped off by the mail clerk at the side of the track. The new service will prove a great boon to many of the men at Aldermere, who are profuse in their thanks to the postal authorities for their action.

Nanaimo's New Methodist Church.

The corner stone of the new Methodist church at Nanaimo was laid yesterday afternoon by Mr. Samuel Robins, superintendent of the Vancouver Coal Company, in the presence of a large number of people and visiting clergymen. The following clergymen took part: Rev. Joseph Hall, pastor and president of the B. C. Conference; Rev. E. Robson, pioneer Methodist minister of Nanaimo and ex-president of the B. C. Conference; Rev. J. H. White, of New Westminster; Rev. J. H. Starrand Rev. J. W. Wadman, of Victoria; Rev. J. P. Bowell, of Maple Bay.

Horses on the Track.

On Sunday evening, as the train in charge of Conductor Black and Engineer Garland was returning from Wellington, three horses were noticed on the track close to the long trestle near Nanaimo. The whistle was tooted, and the engine slowed down, but the horses instead of leaving the track started along the trestle and had proceeded a short distance when they got their legs between the ties and were held fast. The train was stopped, but it took nearly an hour to extricate the horses from their position. One of the animals had its leg broken, but the others were only slightly injured.

A Pleasant Evening.

To-night there will be a very pleasant rose and ice cream festival at the Gorge Road Methodist Church. The affair will be largely attended and a very pleasant evening's amusement may be looked forward to by those who intend to avail themselves of the treat. During the entertainment an address from the congregation will be presented to Mr. Wadman, the pastor, who leaves next week for Japan. The ladies of the church will in addition make the reverend gentleman the recipient of a handsome souvenir. Mr. Wadman has accepted a post in the Yokohama University and will continue his mission work with this position. He is to be succeeded here by the Rev. Mr. Baer, of Comox.

The Steamer Bee Burned.

The steamer Bee was totally destroyed by fire at noon Sunday, near Newell's mill, Seattle, at the head of the harbor. Late Saturday evening, she towed a boom of logs up to Newell's mill and grounded before she could be gotten out, the tide being very low at the time. Her fires were banked, and Capt. Reed and her crew left her and came into town. At noon Sunday she was discovered to be on fire by some of the mill hands. Quite a crowd collected, but before anything could be done the little craft was burned to her keel. The hull is a total loss, but the boiler and engine are all right. The Bee was owned by Capt. A. P. Spaulding and was valued at $3,500. There was no insurance on her. She was forty-five feet over all, had a depth of hold of four feet and a beam of ten feet, and had a gross tonnage of 12.93 tons.

A Small Fire.

At a little after noon yesterday an alarm of fire was raised in Johnson street, and the pealing of the bells soon brought the Deluge engine on the spot. The house in which the blaze eminated was numbered 295 Johnson street, and is owned by Mr. H. J. Hartwell. The occupants, Frank Devoe and his family, moved into the place yesterday and were hardly settled. The flames, which were first noticed in the wooden roof, spread quickly, fanned by the high wind, but on the arrival of the engine they were quickly subdued, and by one o'clock all danger was over. The house was not much damaged, but the stream of water used to extinguish the fire spoilt a good deal of new furniture. Most of the clothing and personal effects of the inmates were saved. The origin of the fire has not yet transpired, but it is thought to be the result of an accident.

The Water Supply.

Until the new main is available for an additional water supply, it is a serious question for citizens to deal with. In many portions of the lower levels, yesterday, water was absent. The water commissioner states that he cannot meet the demand on the present main while the street sprinkler takes a tenth of the total quantity, and unthinking householders permit their lawn sprinklers to run night and day. When the second sprinkler is put on, it will simply mean that some other source of supply will have to be utilized for the streets, and the commissioner is of opinion that the water of the harbor will have to be used. If water is scarce in the lower levels, what will residents on the higher levels do for the necessary fluid? They will have to follow a precedent and secure an injunction against the present waste, and compel the city to furnish them their fair quota of water.

Judge Gray's Illness.

At two o'clock this morning Judge Gray's condition was most dangerous. He is in no pain but is gradually weakening. His doctor has been in the closest attendance upon him for the last twenty-four hours.

Madame Modjeska Coming.

The distinguished artiste Mme. Modjeska, supported by a company of superior excellence, will appear at The Victoria on Monday and Tuesday evenings in "As You Like It" and "Mary Stuart." The engagement will be under the management of Mr. John Maguire, and the sale of seats will begin on Saturday morning.

Derby Day.

At Epsom to-day there will probably congregate hundreds of thousands of people to witness the race for the blue ribbon of Old England. At latest advices Donovan was the favorite; but Enthusiast, the winner of the 2,000 guineas, is much fancied and Gay Hampton is next in the betting. The Derby is an "outing" for all London if it can afford to go, and the excitement on the Downs defies description. It is not probable that an outsider on this occasion will win, for the three horses mentioned have an excellent record and it is pretty well known what they can do.

The Cecilians.

The Cecilian Operatic Company consists of a quartette of vocalists, two gentlemen and two ladies, and an excellent orchestra. There was a full house last evening in The Victoria to greet them, and though the audience may have at first experienced a little disappointment at the smallness of the company, yet the excellence of the programme was such that when the curtain fell everyone felt that they had spent a most delightful evening.

The first or concert part consisted of a quartette and three solos, each of which was well rendered. Miss Millzner has a pure [illegible] sweet soprano, and received a most enthusiastic encore for her song. Mr. Crandall was also encored for his tenor song "A Bandit's Life," while Mr. Mills and Miss Judson were both well received. The latter will be remembered by many Victorians, she having taken the chief soubrette part in the first Thompson Opera Co. that visited this city. She has lost none of the charm that never failed then to please.

The comic opera "Pretty Galatea" was very prettily given. Miss Millzner as "Galatea" proved that she not only possessed a charming voice, but was also a delightful little actress. Mr. Crandall as "Pygmalion," carried out the part well and sang always in good voice. Mr. Mills as "Midas," delighted the audience with his magnificent bass and acted well. Miss Judson made a handsome and amusing "Garrymede," though she was evidently suffering from the trip across the straits. The introduced songs were a treat, the quartette "Rocked in the Cradle of the Deep," being especially enjoyable. The duet of the two ladies, "We Grecians," caused much merriment. Mr. Crandall's song "Essie" with chorus, and Mr. Mills' drinking song were also very much appreciated. Taken altogether the performance was a pretty and interesting one.

To-night the Cecilians will give the third act of "Faust," besides a complete change in the concert part. They will undoubtedly be given another good house.

SCIENTIFIC BOXING.

The Referee Gives Austin the Decision in one Round.

Last night the long talked of fight between Clem Austin, the champion of British Columbia, and Hucker, the naval champion, came off at the Philharmonic Hall. The match was announced as a twelve-round glove contest for points.

H. Smith, the "champion middleweight of England," was chosen referee, and it was 10 o'clock when he admonished the large audience to see fair play and called time. At the conclusion of the twelfth round he announced that in order to decide on the winner he would have to ask the men to fight another round. They did so, and after some hesitation Smith gave the fight to Austin, stating that his work was the most scientific. The decision was greeted with loud hissing and a few cheers. The sympathies of the greater number of those in the Hall lay with the bluejacket.

The fight itself was a good exhibition of boxing. The men were very well matched, and fought fairly and without display of any vicious conduct. The first four rounds resolved themselves simply into a give-and-take exercise, in which Austin came in for a few hard knocks. In the fifth round Hucker's eye was cut, and this was the only blood drawn during the fight. The six and seventh rounds put matters in heavy for the sailor, but in the eighth, ninth and tenth he had by far the best of the fighting and continually bested his opponent, dodging all the dangerous blows and showing considerable agility and skill. The eleventh and last rounds were very mild, no hard work being done, except towards the finish, when headers and wind knocks were well distributed. In the final round very little work was put in, and when the men pulled up at time neither was damaged in any material way.

However correct Smith's decision may have been as to the best display of scientific boxing, Hucker had undoubtedly the lead in downright fighting throughout the contest.

OBJECTED TO SERVE.

Mr. W. Chudley Persists in Being Relieved from Special Jury Duty and Succeeds.

Mr. Wm. Chudley was called as a special juror yesterday morning in the Warren-Boscowitz case. When the court assembled Mr. Chudley stepped forward and said he desired to be relieved from serving.

On the Chief Justice asking the cause Mr. Chudley replied that he had been summoned three times in the past twenty days, and he thought that this was asking too much.

The Chief Justice remarked that Mr. Chudley could not be relieved on that ground.

"Well," Mr. Chudley remarked, "I have formed strong opinions in this case, and am considerably prejudiced."

The Chief Justice told Mr. Chudley to take his seat and decide the case on the evidence submitted and not on his prejudices, and to remember his oath.

Mr. Chudley was persistent, however, and submitted that he could not hear what was being said in evidence and by the bench, on account of the poor acoustics of the courtroom. "Why," he remarked, "the jury can only see the top of your Lordship's wig from the jury-box, and cannot hear what you say."

The Chief Justice was inexorable, and told Mr. Chudley he would have to serve. He took his seat, but counsel for the plaintiff gave him his desired relief by objecting to him on the ground that he could not hear distinctly.

Mr. Chudley departed smiling and satisfied.

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Yards, etc., cleaned. Contracts made for removing earth, etc. All orders left with Mr. G. Doughty, corner Blanchard and Fort streets, Bossi & Giesselman, Yates street, or J. Finlayson's, Government street, will be promptly attended to. *ap20-1y

ONE PURE ARTICLE OF FOOD.

The Royal Baking Powder Officially Commended—Wholesome Action of the New Jersey State Board of Health.

The action of the New Jersey State Board of Health in publishing the names of the alum baking powders sold in that State will be commended by all who are in favor of pure and honest food. Scarce an article sold enters more generally into the daily food of every one than baking powders. It is well understood that the alum and the alum and phosphate baking powders are detrimental to health, and consumers only require to be informed as to the names of these unwholesome brands in order to avoid them.

This information the manufacturers of the alum baking powders are endeavoring, it seems, to suppress. It is stated that they went so far as to seek (unsuccessfully, however,) for an injunction to prohibit the New Jersey authorities from proceeding with their recent investigation and expose.

It is particularly gratifying to consumers to know that the baking powder which they have so long been accustomed to using, the Royal, has invariably gone through these analyses not only without a reflection against it of impurity or unwholesomeness, but each time more emphatically endorsed as the superior of all the baking powders of the market.

The health authorities of a number of other States have also recently made exhaustive examinations of this character, and with the uniform result of finding the Royal superior to all others. The United States Government Chemist, after an examination for the Indian Department, made the emphatic statement that "The Royal Baking Powder is the purest in quality and highest in strength of any baking powder of which I have knowledge." The authorities of Canada have been making an elaborate study of the baking powders sold there. The official analyst of Ontario says as the result of his investigation that he "finds the Royal Baking Powder far superior to the others," and goes so far as to "recommend its use in preference to any other." Likewise, a series of over five hundred tests for strength made by public-analysts and other chemists of prominence throughout the country show it to produce an average of twenty-five per cent. more leavening gas than any of its competitors.

A company that maintains this high standard for its product against the temptations of the enormously greater profit that would accrue from the use of the cheaper materials employed by others (for the alum baking powders are produced at a cost of three cents per pound) is entitled to this public commendation and endorsement.

LITTLE LOCALS.

Everybody was well dusted yesterday.

The bark Gitania has been chartered to load lumber at Hastings Mills for the south.

The sacred concert band have in preparation a splendid programme for next Sunday afternoon.

Disastrous bush fires are prevailing adjacent to Port Townsend, endangering surrounding buildings.

We make a specialty of taking ladies portraits in "evening" or "bridal" dress. Hall & Lowe, Photographers.

The game of baseball between the legal students, Eastside vs. Westside, was won by the Easterners by a score of 18 to 15.

An infant partridge was sent into the museum yesterday by some person. It might readily be thought to be a young chicken.

The provincial museum is well worthy a visit and a careful inspection. It is gradually becoming a school for instruction in the natural history of British Columbia.

Mr. Walter Chambers, D. D. S. C., Ald. Coughlan and Mr. S. L. Redgrave left for Vancouver yesterday morning to institute a lodge of Knights of Pythias in that city.

The Willamette Falls Electric Co., of Portland, Ogn., have one of their systems lighted by electricity sent from the falls, 15 miles distant from the city.

On Saturday next the people of Westminster will have the opportunity of witnessing a game of lacrosse—the first played in the Royal City. The Vancouver and Westminster teams will compete.

An open boat containing ten Chinese was captured near Port Townsend on Tuesday morning. The Mongolians were found in possession of return certificates, and were sent back to Victoria.

Eli Perkins (Melville D. Landon) was in Portland on Monday. After taking a trip up the Willamette Valley he will return to Portland and then visit Puget Sound and Victoria, returning east via the C. P. R.

The match games of base ball between the Seattle and Port Townsend clubs, which were played last Saturday and Sunday afternoons, resulted in favor of the former club. The score of the contest Saturday was 14 to 8 in favor of Seattle.

An accident occurred near Westminster on Sunday evening almost similar to the accident which happened to the horses near Nanaimo the same evening. At Westminster a horse also fell through a trestle and the approaching train had to stop until the animal was extricated.

J. Fannin, curator of the provincial museum, has gone to the vicinity of Hope for the purpose of securing a number of small animals. It is his intention to make this department of the museum as complete as possible before the end of the year.

Two stokers belonging to H. M. S. Amphion settled a small difficulty on the Esquimalt road yesterday morning, fighting some pretty hard rounds. When they went on board their vessel it was found that one had sustained a fractured arm and the other had a badly disfigured and abrased physiog. The doctor of the ship sent the man with the broken arm to the naval hospital.

PERSONAL.

Rev. D. H. Reid returned from Vancouver last evening.

W. Bell Irving and wife, of Vancouver, are in the city.

L. G. Little left by the Islander this morning for the east.

Miss Rutherford, of Perth, Ont., is visiting at the Hon John Robson's.

Mrs. C. E. Woods and Miss Dickinson returned to Westminster by the Islander this morning.

Geo. A. Fraser, of Creighton, Fraser & Co., Vancouver, has been in the city several days for the purpose of reclassing the bark Bowers, at present in Esquimalt dock.

Rev. P. McF. Macleod left for Toronto yesterday morning to attend a meeting of the Presbyterian general assembly, which will be convened on the 8th inst. He will be absent about three weeks.

Jas. McGiffert, a prominent real estate man of Tacoma, is now spending his honeymoon in the city. He and Mrs. McGiffert are located at the Driard. They intend to stay in Victoria for a fortnight.

Col. H. A. Clark, of Melbourne, Victoria, is staying at the Driard. Col. Clark has been for many years connected with the Melbourne Field Battery service and the whole of the Victorian militia. He is a typical Australian, and has lived in Melbourne for the last 37 years. He is on a two years trip round the world, and is much interested in the question of a mail steamship service between Canada and the Australian colonies. He recognizes the great necessity of such a line, and advocates its speedy conception. He leaves here this evening for the East.

A very complete assortment of grate and stove ornaments just received by T. N. HIBBEN & Co.

THE SCHOOL BOARD.

The regular meeting of the school board was held in the city hall last evening.

There were present Messrs. Hayward (chairman), Harris, Heisterman, Erskine, Dr. Morrison and Wolfenden (secretary).

The accounts, amounting to $86.89, were passed for payment.

The secretary then read the table of attendance for the month of May at the public schools.

Number of pupils in attendance, 1,251; daily average, 1,068·2; average per teacher, 50·85.

The table was entered on the minutes.

It was stated by the chairman that the two days circus had no doubt helped to reduce the average in the attendance of the pupils.

The annual report was then read and adopted. It pointed out among other interesting details that the average attendance during the past year was greater than that of any previous year.

The names of several applicants for monotorships and various positions in the school, were then submitted to the board, and a ballot was instituted with the following result:

Mr. S. B. Netherby, assistant teacher, high school. Monitors in ward schools: Miss Grace H. Fawcett, Miss Sarah Kermode, Miss Christina Lorimer, and Miss Gertrude M. Withrow.

The places for the above successful candidates are to be decided by the chairman and secretary of the board.

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